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MAY USE WHEAT BOARD SURPLUS FOR RESEARCH

Marketing is the Absolute Keynote of the Alberta Farmers' Problem

Edmonton, March 27.—The Alberta share of the Canada Wheat Board surplus, amounting to \$115,000 will be used in some way that will promote the agricultural interests of the province, but how has not yet been decided. The question was before the agricultural committee of the house on Thursday morning, and after considerable discussion a sub-committee was appointed to draft a recommendation for the legislature.

A choice for a way to spend this money, which has already been paid over to the provincial treasury, would seem to lie between a provincial research fund and an educational campaign in the interests of cooperative marketing, both plans finding strong support among the farmer members.

Premier Brownlee stated that the government's feeling is that the entire amount should be kept separate and made the nucleus of a fund to which the several pools, elevator companies, and others might be invited to contribute for some such purpose as general agricultural research, cooperative marketing, and prizes and scholarships.

A. S. Matheson and George Mill, thought that a campaign against noxious weeds would be a good way of spending at least 75 per cent of the money, since the weed menace is seriously affecting the farming interests of Alberta.

Hon. H. Greenfield said that the money had come from the wheat producers and should be used wholly for research work on wheat.

"Spending it on cooperative marketing," said A. E. Clapp, who took the ground that selling is the farmer's big problem, but is not sufficiently understood or appreciated.

"The cooperative idea must be got into the minds of the people, and he would have it started in the schools. Some of the wheat board surplus should be used for instance in the preparation of text books so that the economies of marketing might be better understood."

Hon. Geo. Hoadley was of the same opinion, and declared that marketing is the absolute keynote to the Alberta farmer's problem and property, whereas the weed work is already being provided for.

Whether farmers should be funded or not before handing trust funds to again under discussion in the committee, and some of the views expressed during the hearing of the day before were repeated. In this case, too, a sub-committee was appointed to draft a resolution which will be submitted later.

ALEX CUMMINGS HAS SOLD MILLET FARM

More big deals involving farm lands in the Edmonton district are being handled, showing the rapidly growing interest in holdings in this part of the province. On all sides there are reports of numerous inquiries and sales are being made frequently.

For nearly \$20,000 a party of three Scotsmen have bought the Alex Cummings farm five miles west of Millet, the sale being closed on Thursday. This deal was handled by N. A. Kilburn, general agent for the Canada Colonization association, and is one of the big transactions of the season.

The farm included 450 acres, of which some 200 acres were under cultivation, while there were 33 cattle, 11 horses, 21 brood sows and other farm animals.

The purchasers were Dr. W. R. Allan, J. R. Allan, who was a gold medalist in agriculture for Scotland, and R. Macfarlane, all hailing from Kinrosshire. They are reported to be splendid types of settlers and a decided acquisition to Alberta.—Edmonton Journal.

LARGE EGGS

Biddie, a little White Wyandotte in the flock of Mr. Hutchinson, Camrose, west, says: "You tell 'em, Almon, we can lay the eggs," and as a proof Mr. Hutchinson brought in a "cackleberry" weight 3½ ounces one day this week.—Canadian.

LOCAL GOLF CLUB OFFICERS ELECTED

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Golf Club was held at the skating rink on Tuesday evening with a good attendance. Following is a list of officers for the season:

A. J. Taylor, president; C. B. McMurdo, vice president; Alex Knox, secretary.

Board of Directors—A. J. Taylor, C. B. McMurdo, F. T. Kirstein, W. Barry and Alex Knox.

The committees are:

Finance—Messrs. W. Barry, Alex Knox and A. J. Taylor.

Greens—F. T. Kirstein, chairman.

Handicap—Alex Knox, W. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wells and Miss Dickson.

Match and Entertainment—Messrs. A. J. Taylor, Alex Knox, J. W. Somers, Geo. Graham, H. J. Wells, Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Egan.

Membership—C. B. McMurdo, H. B. Hanson and Mrs. Wright.

Ways and Means—Mrs. McMurdo, Mrs. Rubra and Mrs. Miquelin; Mr. W. Prest and Mr. H. B. Stewart.

The fees will be the same as last year. Considerable work will be done in the summer season as weather permits and the members are looking forward to a good season's sport.

MAPPING ALBERTA WITH AEROPLANES

One of the outstanding features of aerial photography is its wide field of application as an aid in the development of the natural resources of the country. This is indicated by the program made in the district during the past year. In this province, over 500 square miles of territory were successfully photographed. This area is equivalent to a strip of country ten miles wide extending from Winnipeg to Edmonton. The work was carried out from the High River air base by the topographical survey department of the interior, in cooperation with the Royal Canadian Air Force, and consisted principally in obtaining vertical overlapping photographs from an elevation of slightly over two miles.

The major portion of the work done was in connection with land classification, forest investigation, and mapping surveys in the district between Edmonton and Athabasca covered by the Victoria sheet of the sectional map of Canada, and that covered by the Fort Assiniboine sheet to the west. The previous season's experiments showed that, with the photographs available, the mapping work was so facilitated that the examination and interpretation of the soils and surface cover, thus greatly expediting the work, at the same time obtaining more reliable results.

The photographs showed in great detail all the features of the ground, the exact areas and boundaries of bad lands, swamps, sandy areas, the courses of rivers and streams with their innumerable windings and the roads and other features of importance. These photographs were mounted and assembled in book form for each township and on them were marked the boundaries of each quarter section or farm unit. The books were then taken right into the field and the examiners made their notes on the photographs in proper position from ground study.

The party without the use of the photographs in previous years was able to examine and map on the average 500,000 acres of country. With the aid of the photographs this party completed 1,175,000 acres, or an increase of 96 per cent. Not only were the results more complete and more detailed, but the photographs are still available for rendering similar service to the geologist, forester and others interested in the development of the district.

Another operation of considerable importance was the photographing of the Saskatchewan river valley and adjacent country from west of Edmonton upstream to its junction with the Clearwater river. These photographs were required by the geologist and studying and correlating the contour lines of the district and making other geological investigations. The great assistance rendered to the geologist by these photographs has been reported by Dr. Allan of the University of Alberta, under whose direction the investigations were being carried out.

The other work done in this province consisted chiefly of photographing the Buffalo Park at Wainwright. The purpose was to obtain at small expense and without undue expenditure of time, a map of the park for administrative purposes.

The success of these operations carried out in conjunction with the ground investigations gives promise of great assistance to geologists, examiners, foresters, and others connected with the development of the resources in enabling them to concentrate their energies on the investigations in hand, having at the same time a detailed and comprehensive view of the whole area under consideration. The elimination of the mapping, leaving only the interpretation and study, should greatly expedite the investigations.

A result which constitutes a record in aviation was achieved in connection with the above work. The officers of the Air Force were successful in photographing the entire district in parallel strips sixty miles long with very few gaps and with no waste overlapping. This was done over territory, a large portion of which is in forest reserves hitherto unmapped.

U.F.A. POLITICAL ASS'N OFFICERS

The annual convention of the Wetaskiwin Provincial Political association was held in the U.F.A. hall, Wetaskiwin, on Friday, March 26th, at 2 p.m.

The business of the meeting consisted of the election of officers, and the selection of a date for a nomination convention.

The following officers and directors were appointed:

Hon. Pres.—Hon. J. E. Brownlee.

Pres.—Fred Freeman.

1st vice pres.—Geo. Waterston.

2nd vice pres.—John Berry.

Sec.—Treas.—A. P. Moan.

Directors—D. E. Wilson, C. A. Johnson, G. H. Marr, E. Recknagle, O. S. Dahlman, C. O. Jevne, C. J. Hanson, C. E. Schart, J. E. Bunney, E. Peterson, E. Tajo, T. O. Folland, P. Kaler, J. Irvine, E. E. Wonnacott.

The nomination convention date was set for Saturday, May 29th.

WEDDINGS

ELBERT — TOPSNIK

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Altvater, Wetaskiwin, on Sunday last, when Helwig Topsnik, recent arrival from Orlensburg, Germany, was united in marriage to Robert Elbert of Wilton, La. Rev. Clemens Thies performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. After the ceremony and the usual congratulations, a sumptuous repast was partaken of and an enjoyable time was spent in fittingly celebrating the occasion.

SOMMERS — KRAUSE

A quiet but pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning, March 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Krause, when their third daughter, Annie, was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Arthur Sommers. Only immediate friends were present.

The Rev. Fred Benke officiated, and the happy couple left on the afternoon train for Calgary, where they will spend a short honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sommers will reside on the farm of the groom, west of Wetaskiwin. Heartiest congratulations.

PROMOTE ALBERTA OIL PRODUCTION

Refineries Distributors Limited is a local company recently incorporated under a donation charter and capitalized at \$1,000,000 for the purpose of promoting the refining and marketing of western Canadian petroleum and oil products.

The goods handled by this organization are refined in Alberta and are being sold under the trade name of "R.P.R."

Plans are already under way for the establishment of more than one hundred distributing depots through which gasoline and oils will be served to consumers in all parts of the province of Alberta.

By creating a demand for Canadian produced oil products Refineries Distributors Limited are helping to retain for Canadians some of the \$120,000,000 which goes to the United States every year for oil products.—Journal.

ENJOYABLE EVENING AT BACHELOR'S HOME

On Tuesday evening about fifty of the neighbors of C. Pennington, south of the city, met at his home and enjoyed a delicious supper. The house was artistically decorated for the occasion. After supper the guests played cards and other games until midnight, when a dainty lunch was served. Hodson's orchestra rendered a number of selections during the evening, and also furnished the music for the dance which was held after midnight. The genial and popular host is very grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Shantz, Mr. and Mrs. Kalar, and others who helped to make the evening such a successful and memorable event.

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GOOD FRIDAY IS A HOLIDAY

Remember that Friday of this week is Good Friday. All business places in the city will be closed that day.

COAL LAKE BAND RED-LETTER DAY

Saturday, March 27 was a red letter day for the Coal Lake Boys' Band, for on that evening they staged their first public concert. The program was rendered in the Wang church before a large and appreciative audience.

Besides the numbers given by the band, the concert was interspersed with songs by the choir, solos, recitations, etc., every number of which was worthy of special mention, but it was the twenty-six band boys, aged from seven to fifteen years, in their trim khaki tunics with caps to match, under the leadership of their instructor, C. V. Jordan, that delighted and captivated the audience.

A. P. Moan acted as chairman for the evening. J. West and A. P. Mitchell congratulated the boys, their instructor and the district on the organization of the boys' band.

After the concert a basket social was held, A. P. Mitchell auctioning the baskets and turning over about \$125.00 to the treasurer of the band.

BIRTH STATISTICS GIVEN BY HOADLEY

Edmonton, March 26.—In reply to H. M. Christophers, Labor, Rocky Mountain, Hon. Geo. Hoadley stated that there were 14,741 births in the province in 1924. Of these, the mothers in 4,185 cases received hospital attention, 2,612 mothers were attended by a physician, and six deaths occurred where neither physician nor qualified nurse was in attendance.

Mr. Hoadley also gave the following information in reply to questions by S. R. Farquharson, U.F.A., Hilsdale.

Only five chlorophanes have appeared before the Licensing board of the university since that body was appointed. Three of these appeared in 1925 and two in 1926 none of them passed the board.

The board, said Mr. Hoadley, was composed of two chlorophanes, two medical men and one layman. Mr. Hoadley denied a suggestion by R. C. Marshall, Calgary, that he had in one case over-ruled a decision of the board.

WETASKIWINITES IN CALIFORNIA

The following letter, recently received by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith from P. Weller, who is wintering in California, gives news of a number of former Wetaskiwinites:

W. Hollywood, March 24, 1926

Dear Friends:

Just a few lines to let you know that we got the address and found Mr. and Mrs. Knight and Lucy in Los Angeles. We were glad to see them and to find out that the people who left Wetaskiwin have all come to California.

Mr. and Mrs. George Woods have a popcorn wagon on the main corner of Queen's Park and are doing well. They told us where everybody else is.

Ed. Nunneley is in the real estate business in Long Beach. W. J. McNamara and Bill Angus are in a real estate office four miles east of Redondo.

Polly Franklin is in a bank at San Pedro; Austin Horle is in Hollywood, and Little Tony Gough is at Glendale with his wife.

The Pelling brothers and O. C. Pelling are at Huntington Park, and Jack Horrin is in Los Angeles.

Bart Ferguson, who used to clerk in the Star Store and his brother are on the corner of Main and Market streets, Los Angeles, running a cigar store.

Mrs. E. Newton is at Fresno. Mr. Newton having died a year ago.

Are having real summer weather. 88 in the shade yesterday.

Kind regards to all.

Pete Weller.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE BURNED AT CALGARY

The Women's Institute basketry course will be held in the Institute rooms from April 10 to 13, and is open to the public. Anyone wishing to take the course is requested to notify at once, either the president, Mrs. H. J. Montgomery, or the secretary, Mrs. A. H. Liverdahl. These ladies the course are expected to go prepared with a small pair of cutting pliers, sharp pocket knife, knitting needle, pair of scissors, notebook and pencil and a tape measure.

The name and figures on your label tell you the month and year your subscription is paid up to.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CURLING CLUB

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Curling Club was held on Monday evening at the rink with a good attendance of enthusiasts. The reports of the president and secretary-treasurer showed that the club is in a good financial position, and that the past season was very successful.

After resolutions of appreciation to the Ladies' Curling Club for the valuable assistance rendered during the season, and to the retiring officers for services given, the following officers were elected:

Hon. Pres.—Messrs. Wm. Carruthers and W. J. Loggie.

Pres.—H. B. Hanson, re-elected.

1st Vice Pres.—H. J. Wells.

2nd Vice Pres.—W. D. Pops.

Secretary-Treasurer—H. B. Stewart.

Chaplain—Rev. A. L. Elliott, re-elected.

Auditor—H. W. Wright, re-elected.

Referees—Geo. Graham, and J. W. Herle.

Executive—H. W. Wright, A. D. Irving and W. Gibson.

OBITUARY

ABRAM L. WALLACE

Abram L. Wallace was born in Cascade, Iowa, on February 21, 1847. He moved with his parents to Wetaskiwin, Canada, at the age of 10 years.

From Canada, his parents came to Hiram county, Michigan, where they lived for several years, after which they moved to Chillicothe, Missouri. While in Missouri his father died, leaving a widow and five children, Abram, Mary, Winfield, Maggie, and John, who died in 1924.

Mr. Wallace was married to Mary Ann Burdick in 1869. To this union were born four children, Minnie, who died at the age of 34 years, Marion, Florence, and Bert, who are still living.

In 1872 he came with his family to Isabella county, Michigan, where he lived several years and then bought a farm near Pleasant Valley, where he resided until one year prior to his death.

Mr. Wallace was married to his second wife, Harriet Scott in 1882. To them were born four children, Pearl, Josephine, Fannie and William, who died in infancy. In 1889 Mr. Wallace lost his second wife, and was married to Jane Scott, who survives him.

He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary McNamee, of Pleasant Valley, and Mrs. Maggie Scott, of Alberta, Canada, and a brother, Winfield Wallace of Wilmington, Ohio; four daughters, Mrs. V. D. Sihl of Coe; Mrs. Arthur Mulder of Elsie; Mrs. Jas. H. Wood and Mrs. Floyd Place of Franklin, Mich.; two sons, Bert and Marion Wallace, at whose home he resided for the past year, also fourteen grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Mr. Wallace died, March 5, 1926, at the age of 79 years. He was a life-long member of the Methodist Episcopal church and his kind, humble, unassuming way, won his way into the hearts of all who knew him. We who are left to mourn his loss would like to quote the words of our martyred president, Lincoln, when he said: "With malice toward none and charity for all," and a firm determination for the right, he met the problems of his life and leaves behind a sacred memory for the hearts of all.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Cramer of St. Louis, with burial in the Shepherd cemetery.—St. Louis Leader.

A BIG DEMAND FOR WETASKIWIN FARMS

Big real estate deals are the order of the day, Johnson Agencies having this week completed a deal for R. D. Anderson's half section, about two miles from Wetaskiwin. The purchaser was Arthur M. Ponteyne, and the price paid was \$14,500.00. Edward Schmidt's farm was also sold last week to Henry Shultz at a high figure.

14 THOROUGHBREDS BURNED AT CALGARY

Calgary, March 29.—Fire which broke out here at 2 a.m. Sunday completely destroyed Barn No. 42 at Victoria Park and burned 14 valuable thoroughbred race horses. Two others after escaping the flames, were killed by a C.P.R. train.

The horses were valued at about \$30,000 and only a few were covered by insurance. Twelve of the animals were owned by Robert Emmett, of Winnipeg; two by Mike Smith, of Calgary; one by I. V. Parslow, of Calgary, and one by J. H. Coddard, of Calgary.

Efforts to save the animals were made by several jockeys,

COW TESTING WORK INCREASING RAPIDLY

Community cow-testing associations are now being organized in various parts of Alberta, and A. G. Moore, dairy promoter, is a busy man these days assisting in the work and addressing meetings.

On Monday night, at J. B. Christie's, three miles south of Millet, five farmers decided to form an association and ten others in the district promised that they would join. This is one of the old districts, but they have no organized milk association. The district was organized by J. B. Christie and W. J. Miller as secretary.

At Wetaskiwin, a preliminary organization, with G. Baker, as secretary, has been started and is expected by April 1st to complete the work. A similar condition prevails at Strathcona and Geo. Daly, secretary, is now canvassing for members.

Preliminary steps have been taken at Lacombe and New Norway and meetings are being held at both places.

Enquiries are being received at Edmonton from almost every district in the province, which seems to show that the new regulations are proving more popular than it was hoped—Examiner.

THAT SURPLUS

(By J. H. Hodson)

Because it is announced that a favorable balance between receipts and expenditures of the provincial government has this year been achieved, it must not be supposed that the province is in a good financial position. It is not!

The much advertised surplus came about in a purely fortuitous manner, and was due to an abnormal amount of death duties falling to the provincial treasury. Even the very large increase in revenue from the financially providential and morally beneficial Liquor act was insufficient to bring the balance to the right side of the ledger. Profits from liquor control were so great and so welcome that even prohibition farmer members deserted the cause and left Nellie McClung trying in the wilderness almost alone.

The position with regard to ordinary receipts and expenditures has improved; but the same cannot be said of the capital accounts of the government. During the last four years the bonded indebtedness has increased about forty per cent; increased by over twenty millions of dollars which brings the total to near seventy nine and a half millions. Moreover we are promised a further addition to this quite respectably sized debt of a further four and a quarter millions of dollars during this year. Twelve hundred thousand dollars are required to pay interest on bonds, for maintenance, operation and construction—more construction to add to our burdens—of our three provincial railways. A good lump of this money is going into a swamp to the west of Wetaskiwin, to benefit, I am told, certain owners of timber lands; the usual purpose for which our "colonization" railway projects have been foisted upon us.

The E.D. & B.C. was eventually made to serve the Peace River country, and is therefore not such a hopelessly unprofitable venture as the A. & G.W. and the L. & N.W., which lost its close to us and has an extension of twenty miles recently wangled on to its unprofitable length.

The provincial government telephone system produced a deficit last year of something under nine thousand dollars, but this modest figure is deceptive, for in this year's estimates we are promised a deficit of seventeen times the amount.

But in this regard there is promise for us in a recently reported invention in the radio world, by the time our telephone system is completely worn out there may be a system of communication available to us that requires no poles, wires or exchanges. It is apparent that the province, in spite of all the promises that were made when this government were campaigning for office, is still in a desperate financial condition. Our government would have been quite thoroughly discredited in their administration for the passing of the present Liquor act through which is furnished a very substantial part of its revenue.

It is fortunate indeed that in this last year of office the present government should have received from estates of citizens who died most commoditously opportune, so that a surplus is shown in the accounts. We shall hear no lot about this surplus, more than its real or relative value can possibly warrant by its intrinsic importance.

The Empire gave birth to that nation which is next to it in the world, the United States. Its origin was thoroughly English.

Chris. Berg, of near Wetaskiwin, appeared before R. M. Angus, J.P., on a charge of being intoxicated in a public place. He was fined \$20.00 and costs.

For entering and consuming beer on Sunday is shown in the accounts. We shall hear no lot about this surplus, more than its real or relative value can possibly warrant by its intrinsic importance.

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KIWANIANS HEAR ADDRESS ON THE FEEBLE MINDED

Dr. Cook Gives Instructive Talk on a Few Causes of Insanity

The Kiwanis Club held another very successful luncheon on Tuesday evening, when Dr. Cook, superintendent of the mental hospital at Ponoka, was the principal speaker. At the outset the doctor stated that the number of feeble-minded people was on the increase, and the government was becoming alarmed at the demands being made for funds to care for these unfortunate people.

There were two reasons for mental disorder. The first was hereditary predisposition, and the other was great stresses or strains on the individual. About seventy-five per cent of the cases being treated were hereditary, as the child has a tendency to inherit the traits of the parents. Our nervous system has the stamp of our ancestors and is based essentially on hereditary predisposition. But there is no reason why we should be unstable or of unsound mind, as there is only a "tendency" towards inheritance.

A child of alcoholic parents may be imbecile, epileptic, or may later become insane; and he may be vicious in his habits. Syphilis is also a disease which may lead to insanity. Lead poisoning also may develop a condition which will tend towards unsound mind.

By subjecting a man to severe stresses and excitement he may break down either physically or mentally. If physical, it may be a fever affecting the brain, or sleeping sickness. If mental it may be caused by worry, business anxieties, pecuniary difficulties, domestic or love affairs, fright, or even loss of friends.

Religion has been accused of being the cause of some people's downfall, but investigation has proven these people were of unstable make-up. Education was a powerful factor for good or evil. Forcing an intelligent child often results in disaster.

Insanity is a disease of civilization, as a savage was seldom found to be insane. One reason for this is that the repression of recognized animal instincts are liable to escape from repression and the individual weakness and loses control of his higher powers. Mental disorders are rare under ten years of age. The great liability is between the ages of 35 and 50; after that it diminishes.

Dr. Robertson presided at the meeting, and in introducing the speaker mentioned that the mental hospital at Ponoka was being recognized as one of the foremost institutions of its kind in the Dominion of Canada.

Jack Campbell favored the gathering with a solo, which was heartily applauded.

CASTOR TEACHERS WIN ON APPEAL

The appeal of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance against the decision of Judge Morrison in the action brought at Stettin for damages by Thor. Finlayson against William Ford and A. J. Powell, two high school teachers at Castor, was won by the Alliance in Edmonton on Friday morning, according to word received by Fred Parker, president of the Alliance on Friday afternoon.

The case in question, the teachers, Messrs. Ford and Powell, suspended two sons of Mr. Finlayson from school because of continued truancy. Mr. Finlayson brought a suit for damages against them and won in the district court action. The Alliance, in behalf of the teachers, appealed and won the appeal.

The significance of this case is that the school act is so vague and the teacher's position so indefinite that much difficulty has been encountered. This and other actions have been fought by the Alliance in order to make the meaning of the act clear and to bring it up to date, said Mr. Parker.

POLICE COURT

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THE KEEPER OF THE BEES

By GENE STRATTON PORTER

Synopsis

James Lewis MacFarlane, non-ordinarily retired from war service on account of incurable wounds, after two years in hospital, overheard the physicians say he was about to be sent to a T.J. institution. To avoid this plague, he ran away and began his Great Adventure. Jamie is given a lift in an automobile and as the party camp for the night he saves his friends from robbery by frustrating the plans of two men. He discards his uniform and dons the suit of one of the burglars. The party break camp in the night and start for a town, very grateful to Jamie for his heroic act.

Chapter III

"Ma, do you think we're shook 'um?" queried William Brunsen over his shoulder along in the cold, still hours of the morning between three and four o'clock.

"Got any idea how many miles we've come?" asked his wife, and William said he had not. He had far gone to look at the speedometer when they stopped to make camp but he was certain he had turned a hundred corners and taken every cross-road he saw, and the small town they were entering appeared as if there might be some place in it where they could find a clean bed and have a few hours of rest. As they drove down the main street they saw the open door and the lights of a hotel and so they decided that they would have beds and a good rest, and then they would have baths and breakfast and after that they would hold a council and decide what they would do.

When it came to leaving the car, they found their guest of the road sleeping so heavily it seemed a pity to awaken him, so they locked the car, threw an extra blanket over him, and left him to the luxury of the entire back seat. That was how it happened that when the life of the town began to stir on the streets that Jamie MacFarlane awoke with a bewildered sense of being lost. He had no idea what had become of the Brunsens or where he was, but he speedily learned that, by reading signs on the streets around him, and he figured that nothing could have happened to the Brunsens in a town of several thousand population, so his first thought concerned breakfast. He had hoped the night before that it would be with the Brunsens, probably at the location on which they were camped before making a start for the day. Now, evidently, their plans had changed.

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ed. They would probably come from the hotel before which the car was standing, refreshed with baths, sleep and food. He reflected that he had enjoyed refreshing sleep, he could postpone the bath, but there was an insistent demand in the pit of his stomach for food. He was in no mood to be particularly choosy. He was so ravenously hungry that he felt he could have eaten almost anything, and satiatingly there came from restaurants, from the hotel building, from cafes and corner stands around him, the odors of ripe fruits. Later the aroma of coffee and cooked food assailed his nostrils, so he began to figure on how he could materialize breakfast.

It occurred to him that he would stop from the car and stretch his legs on the sidewalk and see if he could shake himself into slightly better circulation. He found himself sniffing ham and fried potatoes and toast and coffee and bacon and waffles somewhere in the immediate neighborhood; merely from force of habit, because he knew there was not a penny in his pockets, he ran his hands into them where he had been told that a male was usually located and stood in stupefied bewilderment because he brought the land back to the light, and in it there was an assortment of nickels and dimes, a quarter or two, and a fifty cent piece. His mouth fell open slowly and his eyes widened, and without the least knowing why he did it, he looked above the line of the buildings over the range of mountains in the distance and on across the cloudless deep blue of the California sky, very politely: "I thank thee, Lord."

He could not have told how long it had been since he had reverently said, "I thank thee, Lord." He had been figuring that in the few years past he had not experienced very much for which to thank the Lord, at least not since a fire had been eating in his breast and weakness had assailed his limbs and shaken his big, capable hands. He did not stop to reflect either that the Lord might not have had much to do with the fact that he was wearing another man's trousers, but after all, Jamie felt that he needed the trousers, and he had given his own, which were much better looking and infinitely cleaner, in exchange for the ones he had acquired, the looking down upon which filled his fastidious soul with repulsion. He reflected that if he had been in a position to see the trousers he might have ridiculed one more day wearing his uniform.

Having no idea when the Brunsens might return to their car and being increasingly hungry since there was money in his fingers and he need not delude himself with the idea that he was not hungry, he squared his shoulders and looked ahead to see if his particularly sensitive nostrils could detect from which of the surrounding places where food was being cooked exactly the most delicious odors were emanating. That recalled him to the change he held in his palm. He spread his right hand in line of vision and with the forefinger of the left slowly pushed the coins around. He was so rejoiced over his findings that he could not have shouted like a small boy. The half and the quarters made a dollar; the nickels and dimes and a few pennies for good measure totalled eighty-seven cents.

He reflected that by judicious ordering, by making it mostly coffee with a little toast and bacon to add backbone, he would not be hungry at the mercy of the world for another day at least. Since he had thanked the Lord merely for the feet of the small change in his hands, it occurred to Jamie, even in his hunger and his desire to keep near the car, that he might like further if possible, that it would be a good thing to come more to pay tribute. So again he looked to the sky, and this time with a hurt that might have descended to him from the tongue of a grandfather on either side of the house, he said, right out loud there on the sidewalk of the California town: "It's unco gude o' you, Lord. And when I hear you heard him talking like a Scot they telegraphed the strange proceeding to his brain and Jamie, who a few minutes before had felt decidedly aggrieved, laughed aloud and, turning, started down the street toward the most insistent odor of bacon and coffee that he could detect.

It was while he was sitting on a high stool with his feet on a railing before a counter that the clothing he had adapted drove closely around him and he became aware that he was wearing a hip pocket that contained something that from the feel of it might have been a couple of things; but at first shot Jamie decided that he would guess a bill book. Then it occurred to him that it might be a good thing, since one pocket had yielded a living for a day at least, to go all through them. And so he began on the outside breast pocket of the coat in which he found a couple of cheap cigars. In the other pockets were some bits of string and several buttons and a filthy handkerchief, the big revolver and a handful of cartridges. Then he tried the inside pockets and found a couple of letters which he decided to attend to later. Then he

ran his hand into the left pants pocket and found it empty. And then to finish the job, he reached around to the hip pocket and brought out the bill book. It really happened to be a bill book, and it really happened to have several bills in it, and instantly Scott cautioned himself in Jamie's mind. He had heard considerable about bandits and light-fingered gentlemen and taking your neighbor's property without his knowledge or consent. On the mere knowledge that there were two or three bills that might be of reasonable denomination, he slipped the book shut and slid it back in his pocket, and then he leaned his elbow on the counter and thought deep and fast.

He was not a thief. He never had been. But he was on a great adventure. It was becoming greater every minute. He reflected that if his little mother, up close to the throne, had been looking down at him and praying with all her might for his safety and his success in his undertaking, and if the Lord had been bending her way and listening with loving, indulgent ears, Jamie thought he could not have gotten along much better so far. Only half a day, only a night, and through the blessing of the automobile—two automobiles to be exact—was more than two hundred miles from where he had started and since those two hundred miles led to the north and the west, he must be considerably nearer the sea. Precisely why all this being had gotten to his feet and made him start, Jamie did not know. He would have time to analyze himself or to try and find out why he wanted water, words of water, jade-green and sky-blue and indigo-blue water, salty water, and foam, great swaths of snowy foam. He wanted to see waves, big waves, piling up high on a beach, and he was oppressed with the ridiculous feeling, probably because he had missed his morning bath, that he wanted to get into that water. Then he wanted to lie on the sand and bask in the sun and sleep endlessly and go back to the sea water again. Possibly it was not boiling water from an interior spring that was needed to fit his peculiar conditions. Maybe it was cold water, salt water, sea water that would turn the trick.

He was thinking so intently of the bare possibility that the sea might do something for him that the springs he had done that he almost forgot the odors of food around him. He could afford to forget, since he would not be forced to abstain. He was going to have a cup of coffee, with thick, rich cream in it, and crispy toast and meat-bacon in only a minute. About the meat-bacon he pocket—he did not know precisely what the man to whom the trousers he was wearing belonged, owed society in general, but he had an idea from the enterprise in which he found him engaged, that this man might owe a heavy debt. Jamie had the feeling that, since he had captured two guns and defeated the brutes, the two of them, in what he had heard them say, along about in clear English that they

intended to inflict upon a man who evidently was a very decent man and who, through long years of economy and hard work, had amply earned the vacation he was taking, as was entitled to the contents of their pockets. As for the fresh young girl and her equally wholesome and interesting mother, a wave of nausea swept his whole being, and regardless of who might be looking, he pulled the bill book from his hip pocket and opened it wide and emptied it, and found in his amazed fingers exactly forty-nine dollars, even, in ones, fives and tens. This time he was really stunned, and the ceiling of the restaurant was so uninviting that, if he did glance upward, even involuntarily, he forgot his thanks. He made a wild and desperate resolve on the instant: When he had eaten the food he had ordered, he was going to have a bath, he was going to have clean, fresh underclothing, he was going to have trousers and a coat that fitted and would not fill him with repulsion, and he was going to have a bath in which he might appear at least as attractive as it was possible for him to look.

He gave the ethics of the case very little consideration. He had frustrated the attack on the camp; he had gotten away from the two men with their artillery. He had been of sufficient benefit to William Brunsen and his wife and daughter so that they should be willing for him to have the forty-nine dollars as his reward, and from the depth of his soul and the ceaseless grind of the wound in his left breast he felt that the Lord would absolve him for buying clothes that were new and clean. What was it the doctor had said? That he was the best breeding ground for germs imaginable? One glance at the legs of the trousers he was wearing made him feel like the original factory in which germs had been invented. So he stuck his long arms as far out as the coat sleeves as he could and pushed the side lapels as far back as they would go and gulped coffee so hot it almost scalded him and ate bacon that really was crisp and toast that was properly browned. He paid his bill (Continued on page 3)

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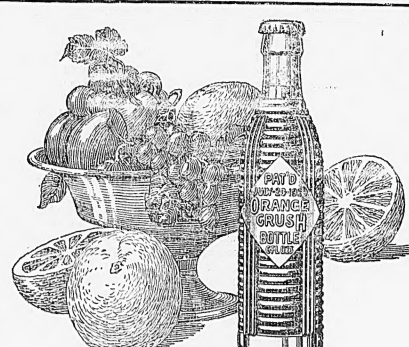
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The First
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Nowadays, when enormous sums of money are spent on advertising, it is interesting to recall that this particular form of publicity started in quite a humble manner. As far as can be discovered, the first advertisement appeared in a London publication known as *The Moderator*, which appeared in 1649. The little advertisement for which money was charged was inserted by a man who had lost a horse. The notice was as follows: "Reader, thou art entreated to inquire after a blackish kind of pishable nag, very poor, his face, feet and flank white, and a little white tip on his tail. He was stolen from grass from John Rotherman, of Barnet, in Hertfordshire. Whosoever will inquire find him out and bring or send tidings of him, shall have what content they will for their pains."

It is pleasant to know that this first advertisement was a success, for, in a few days the horse was located by a person several miles from where the animal had been stolen. The value of the announcement soon led to advertisements by business people, and soon the great industry grew up. It is rather curious that in the early days of advertising, it was thought to be a confession of failure to have to pay for announcements in newspapers and magazines.—Oward.

Immigration
and Markets

At the last convention of the United Farmers of Alberta a resolution criticizing colonization effort at public expense was passed. The resolution recites that western farmers cannot be expected to view with enthusiasm any proposal to contribute additional taxes merely to bring in outsiders to compete with existing agricultural producers, particularly in view of the demand of Canadian manufacturers for protective legislation for industrial products. To say the least, this resolution was somewhat unfortunately worded. It mixes issues. It lacks entirely the imprint of intelligent consideration and a proper sense of responsibility on the part of an organization which is now generally regarded as one of Canada's most important and sane deliberative bodies.

The general views of the U.F.A. on the principle of protective tariffs are well known. The convention now, however, endorses what virtually is a protective policy for Canada in respect to agricultural development, which is hardly consistent. Of course this resolution is not to be regarded too seriously. It was evidently intended as a piece of sarcastic pleasantry. But it was, nevertheless, distinctly out of place to vent the displeasure of the convention in respect to other matters upon a national issue of such vital importance as colonization. It might, however, be profitable to briefly consider to what extent additional agricultural producers might injuriously compete with or affect our domestic rural population, other hand, accrue to our farmers from added agricultural population in Canada. These seem to be the questions involved in this resolution.

To start with, we should clearly realize that the western farmer is producing almost entirely for export sale. Also that there is not, within the next couple of generations, the faintest possibility of an industrial development in Canada on so magnificent a scale as to create a home market large enough to completely consume the staple products of our enormous western agricultural empire. We need not, therefore, even consider the problems such a changed economic situation would present. The export market is, and will remain, our only outlet.

The increasing population of Europe and the development of trade in

agricultural products with the teeming millions of oriental countries, coupled with the increasing home demands of many of the present exporting countries, will amply counterbalance any enhanced Canadian production of foodstuffs. Professor East of Harvard University has even made the cheerful prediction, after painstaking investigation, that by 1960 the whole world will face starvation through under supply of food! So we need not apparently concern ourselves over much about the question of not finding a ready market for any volume of Canadian staple agricultural products we are apt to raise. It is, therefore, difficult to see how an increased number of Canadian agricultural producers could seriously demoralize our present markets.

We might also reasonably conclude that a farmer in Great Britain, Sweden or Roumania is just as much in competition with our western farmers in the export market, whether he produces in his own country, in ours, or in any other. If, however, such a competitor settles in Canada his presence with us will tend to stabilize the value per acre of all agricultural lands, much to the advantage of the Canadian farmers. A healthy inflow of new settlers also has a decidedly beneficial effect on the prices of work horses and domestic breeding stock of all classes. The absence of such an outlet for a class of stock not always in demand at the public market, owing to age and condition, has had its effect on all livestock values during the past years of colonization stagnation. The Canadian farmer should welcome new settlers with open arms for these reasons only.

The colonization problem in Canada is not in any sense a class problem, and those who endeavor to make it so, assume a serious responsibility. A vigorous and intelligent policy to add further agricultural population to every province in this fast-fung, undeveloped, young country must necessarily be of benefit to all classes, directly or indirectly. This question is, in the minds of thinking people, beginning to loom up as a great, national issue, the successful solution of which would automatically solve practically all other minor, national problems which now confront us. It would, for instance, lighten our heavy load of taxation by distributing the burden over many additional shoulders. It would effectually solve the



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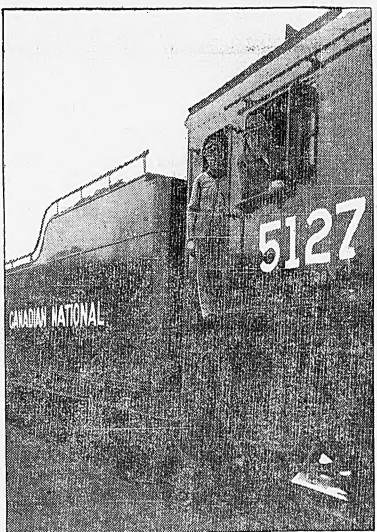
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transportation question. Every citizen in Canada, irrespective of his occupation, should make this problem his own.—Farm and Ranch Review.

CALGARY TRAIL IS
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Surfacing the Calgary Trail between Edmonton city limits and Leduc with gravel will be commenced as early this spring as weather conditions permit. It is announced by the highways branch of the provincial government.

The travelling program for the early part of the season calls for the surfacing of the Calgary highway as far south as Lacombe. With this in view the department of public works will shortly let the contract for the delivery of approximately 70,000 yards of gravel at railway sidings between Ellerslie and Lacombe.

FAMED EXPLORER MAKES
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CAPT. ROALD AMUNDSEN, his trip from the Pacific to the Atlantic over National lines on his journey to Spitzbergen, where he joins the crew of sixteen pilots and explorers on the proposed "Rome to Nome" trip by dirigible, this spring. His objective on this new mode of exploration is to fly over the North Pole. Many of his fellow countrymen and prominent Canadians greeted him at stations along the line to wish the intrepid captain all success in his exploit.—C.N.R. Photo.

Although it was his first visit to Canada, Capt. Amundsen was unable to make any lengthy stops on

HEAVIER TAX ON
TRUCKS DISCUSSED

Edmonton, March 27.—The problem of the heavy motor truck and its effect on roads throughout the province was raised in the Alberta legislature Friday night by George MacLachlan U.F.A. Pembina, during committee discussion of the public works estimates.

Mr. MacLachlan pointed out that these trucks carried heavy loads, and ruined the roads, yet paid no more in license fees than ordinary pleasure vehicles. He suggested that there be a license system based on the weight-carrying capacity of the trucks.

He was not objecting to much to trucks serving rural communities not served by railroads, as to points between the railroad and the highway both ran.

Hon. Alex. Ross, in reply, said that the Canadian schedule of weights had already been considered as a basis, and tentative plans were made last year for some action along this line. It was felt, however, that nothing should be done which would in any way hamper the service of trucks to rural points remote from the railway.

Mr. Ross admitted that damage was caused, and thought that regulations would have to be prepared and put into force governing the travelling of trucks in certain districts, and also the weights to be carried by such trucks.

T. Palfrey went to Camrose on Wednesday to assist in settling an English family due to arrive on Thursday. This is one of ten families expected to arrive during the next few weeks, to be arranged for by the Soldier Settlement Board.—Daysland Press.

The Keeper of the Bees

(Continued from Page 2) and, carrying the wealth of a mint on his person, went back to the sidewalk and looked for the Brunson car.

It was standing where he had left it, so he went over and walked past the hotel office. He could not see any of the Brunsons, so he went to the clerk and asked to see the hotel register. When he found what he was looking for, he told the clerk to tell his friends, if they came down before he returned, that he had gone to get a shave and some fresh clothing. Some way he got a decided feeling of uplift from the fact that he would not have to tell William Brunson and his wife and daughter that he was whipped and sore, a broken hulk of a man with not a penny in his pockets and fleeing from a government with whose regulations he was not even familiar so slight was his own prospect of release. Such a thing as walking from the care of the government without any notion as to where he was going of what would happen to him had never occurred to him, even among far-reaching possibilities, he had to admit that he did not know whether he was a deceiver or not. There was the hardest possibility that a day might come in which he would want to ask for the official history pertaining to the decorations he carried.

He left the hotel with instructions from the clerk as to where the best outfitting store of the town could be found and bought himself the cloth-

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ing he needed to make him clean and comfortable. Sparingly, of the cheap things he could find that would possibly serve his needs, he bought what he felt he required, and then he went into a barber shop, and when his hair was cut and he was freshly shaved, he paid for a bath, and then he followed up by a change into his new clothes. When before a mirror in the bathroom he tried on his new hat, he reflected that if he had red blood in his veins and a hundred pounds of beef steak on his bones, he might not be such a bad-looking man. Still he would admit, and his big-headed like his Scottish ancestors, his lean hands were tapering, his features were finely cut, and his deep, blue-gray eyes at least looked as if they might be honest eyes, kind eyes, interesting eyes.

So Jamie went back to the hotel carrying a neatly wrapped bundle which contained another man's coat and yet another man's trousers. He meant to drop it by the wayside somewhere along his journey, merely in case some man as sorely pressed as he had been might find it and it might fill a need even as his needs had been served.

When William Brunson walked into the office, Jamie, fortified by neat gray trousers and a coat that really fitted him and a shirt that was clean and fresh, arose smiling, holding out a hand, but instead of recognition he received a cold stare. He had to remove his hat and work his Scottish burr before William Brunson would accept him as his passenger of the previous day; while the wonder with which he had gone to sleep as to whether he was leaving his car in the possession of a third hand, for ever vanished from his mind. There had not been even the ghost of a bandit for ten generations in the ancestry of the man before him. On that William Brunson would have taken oath. As he stood holding Jamie's hand, he looked at him laughingly and said: "Well, I'll be darned! I didn't know you, and if I stand away from

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you, I bet Ma and Susy won't either!" Jamie laughed in return. "I made that lightning change in the dark last night!" he said. "Moonlight is a deceptive thing. I only wanted to shed the uniform of Uncle Sam pronto, so I took the first chance that offered, but when I woke up this morning and found that my clothes were better fitted to walk than I was, I decided that I'd see how quick I could change them."

"Come on to breakfast," said William Brunson. "Thank you, I've had my breakfast," said Jamie. "If you're going to get long enough to let me ride with you so long as you are going north and west, that will be fine."

"There isn't any question about how long you may ride with the Brunsons," said the husband and father of the Brunson family. "You may ride just as long as you darn please. It doesn't make any difference to me if it's all the way to Iowa."

So Jamie picked up a morning paper and read until Mrs. Brunson and Susy came into the office, and they really did not know him, so he had to work the burr on them before they would believe that he was their passenger of the previous night. Both of them agreed with the judgment of their husband and father: they did not care how long this man rode with them, and he did not care either. So they went a considerable distance on that day, with dinner by the wayside, and the night at a small hotel, and then Jamie felt that the time had come when he must turn west. He could journey by easy stages. He had enough change in his pockets to carry him through food and lodging

for several days, he figured, and so, throughout the long, sunny day, plodding along, he made his way west. Then he found he had gone too far north, so he laid his course west by south.

He had no desire to go where cold would strike his aching bones. He wanted to stay where the sunshines was uninterrupted and powerful. He went slowly and sat awhile frequently and at a noon rest when he felt it was about time to be thinking about lunch, in the mottled sunshine of a live oak, with his arm on a stone for a pillow, he fell sound asleep, and when a passing drove of cattle finally awakened him he rose, picked up the stick he was carrying, and stretched himself for his journey. As he did so he missed something. He had to think for a minute to recall what it could be. It struck him that his trousers were not settling exactly as they had when he fell asleep, and running his hands around his body he encountered an empty hip pocket, and then an empty coat pocket—the gun, too!

Almost sick with shock and disappointment, Jamie sat back on the rock and looked about him. Lying on the ground a few yards up the mountain side, he could see the little book he had appropriated. There was no use in exerting himself even to climb to it. It lay spread open, rifled of course, and so he was once more about where he had started. Enough remained of the nickels and dimes in his breeches to carry him through the day and perhaps breakfast the morning, but the beef which he needed almost more than food had gone as mysteriously as it had come.

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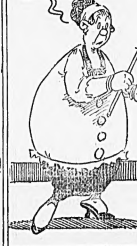
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Provincial Weekly News Bulletin

Mildest Winter

According to the report from the Dominion Meteorological service at Toronto, Alberta has experienced the mildest winter in 48 years. The records show that at Edmonton the mean temperature for the months of December, January and February was 29 above, compared with a normal of 12 above. At Calgary the mean temperature in those three months was 30 above, compared with a normal of 16 above, and at other points in the province the weather was correspondingly mild. At Calgary only two days in the three months showed below zero temperature, and a similar record was shown at Edmonton, whereas in the Peace River district in the north, and in the extreme southern part of the province even milder weather prevailed.

Refinery to Start Oil Shipment

The Alberta Refineries at Edmonton will start shipment of its product the coming week, the first carload of refined oil going out to Banham. The refinery will also supply oil to the Canadian National Railway.

Hail Threats for Good Year

The municipal hail insurance board of the province announces a reserve of over \$700,000, with the statement that its financial condition is better than for some time. The total risk carried last year was \$10,886,000, and the awards of the season amounted to \$865,000.

Heavy Rain in the Province

During the past week heavy rains fell in several districts in the province.

Want Alberta Man

The provincial legislature this week unanimously passed a resolution

HOG AS A SOURCE OF FARM REVENUE

"When well managed the hog is one of the best sources of farm income. Hogs have paid for many a farm. We can sell hogs at any time of the year, and almost at any age and weight."

This is one of the introductory statements in a remarkably interesting and useful booklet entitled "Hogs for Profit," just issued by the Bank of Montreal, and offered free to farmers at any branch of that institution.

For some time past the department of Agriculture at Ottawa has been doing commendable work all over Canada in encouraging the production of hogs as a supplementary source of income for farmers, and the booklet will admirably assist this movement by making available to those interested plain and detailed descriptions, illustrated by over 200 photographs and diagrams, of the guiding principles of successful and profitable hog raising.

A special introduction has been contributed by Mr. G. B. Rothwell, B.S.A., Dominion animal husbandman at the central experimental farm, Ottawa. Mr. Rothwell gives an outline of the principal breeds and types and the accepted methods of feeding in Canada, and offers general advice in regard to the principles described in the booklet.

Every phase of hog raising is pictured in the booklet, both by word and by photograph, the subjects dealing with the selection of sires and mothers, the choice of breeds and types, and the care of young pigs from the time they are born until they are ready for the market. Feeding, housing, the prevention of ailments and diseases and the production of particular types for special markets, are all described. A free copy of the booklet may be obtained at the nearest branch of the bank.

DAYS LAND NEEDS LOCAL HOSPITAL

Voicing the general belief that Daysland needs a hospital, about 15 business men responded to the call for a meeting last week. It was felt that to wait for the ordinary machinery to arrange matters would mean too much delay, so it was decided to start at once to raise money by private subscription to assist in financing the hospital for this year.

The meeting was unanimous in wishing to have St. Luke's hospital responded as soon as possible. Since the closing of the hospital early in the new year, the need of a hospital has been so evident as to convince the most skeptical of the need of making a determined effort in that direction. Many subscriptions have already been received, some of these being as high as \$50.00.—Press.

tion asking the federal government to appoint a representative of Alberta interests on the Vancouver harbor board.

Greater Revenue from Game and Fur The final figures for the revenue from game and fur taken in the province during 1925, made available through the office of the game commissioner of the Alberta department of agriculture, shows that the total revenue was about \$25,000, instead of \$15,000, as first estimated.

Land Settlement Conference The second annual convention of the Central and Northern Land Settlement association was held in Edmonton the past week. Prominent speakers included Hon. J. E. Brownlee, premier of Alberta; W. D. Robb, vice president of the Canadian National railways; Dr. W. J. Black, commissioner of colonization for the C.N.R.; W. J. Little, commissioner of colonization for Canada, and A. B. Calder, special representative for the C.P.R.

Cheaper Fares for A.P.P. Through the efforts of the railway department of the provincial government, an order has been issued at Ottawa granting to members of the Alberta Provincial Police the same transportation rates over railways as given to Dominion police. This will mean the saving of several thousand dollars a year to the government, says A. Chard, traffic supervisor.

Prosperous Alberta Farmer John Dahl, a farmer at Ceres, Alberta, on the Hannam branch of the Canadian National Railway, last year threshed 3,350 bushels of wheat from 110 acres of stubble land. He also had 180 acres of summer fallow and has threshed from the 290 acres a total of 10,000 bushels of grain.

Articles for Sale

If you have any articles for sale, the most logical way to bring them before prospective purchasers is to advertise them through the Classified Ad. columns of The Wetaskiwin Times.

Those little, inexpensive ads are read by thousands each week, and if you have the real article you can locate buyers through this medium with very little trouble and cost.

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TOWN TOPICS

O. G. Wudel returned from a business trip to Stony Plain on Tuesday morning.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of O. H. Romlie on Friday, April 9th, at 3 p.m.

J. D. Cowan, of Edmonton, was renewing acquaintances in the city the fore part of the week.

The Hospital Aid Society will meet in the nurses' sitting room on Tuesday, April 6th, at 4 p.m.

Mrs. Peter Hanson returned home from Wetaskiwin Tuesday evening, where she was called by the serious illness of her father.—Bawlf Sun.

Mrs. Pearl Phillipeault left on Friday last for Rochester, where she has accepted a position in Mayo Brothers' hospital, as a nurse.

The supreme criminal court are holding sittings here this week. We will give a complete report in next week's issue.

A. P. Mann has leased the residence formerly occupied by the late Mrs. Grein, and moved his family therein last week.

***C. C. Switzer is holding an unreserved Auction Sale of household effects on Saturday, April 9. See list in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Toroson are spending a few days in Calgary visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Naues.

The tire and tube given away at the Chevrolet demonstration by J. N. Schreffels, local dealer, was won by Oscar Schoening.

The Scandinavian Hospital Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Brookfield on Thursday, April 8, at 3:30 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the First United church will be held in the church on Wednesday, April 7, at 3:30.

George P. Root is in Calgary this week attending a meeting of the Stock Growers' Protective association and the spring stock show and sale.

Among the recent arrivals in the district are Josiah and Charles Cooper, who have taken up farming in the Hriview district.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gilling have returned to the district from Ponoka, and have moved onto the farm at Angus Ridge.

The regular meeting of the I. O. D.E. will be held at the home of Mrs. Rubra on Tuesday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. H. C. R. Walker announces that she will not receive on Friday, April 1st. She will be at home on Friday, April 8th, and not again this season.

Roy Hallborn is in Calgary this week attending the stock show and sale. He has an animal listed in the sale, and he hopes to make purchases to add to his already first-class herd.

E. G. Grant spent a couple of days of the past week visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. T. Mode, of Edmonton, who is leaving shortly to join her husband, now located in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Weyer arrived in Wetaskiwin on Tuesday from Lawson, Sask., and expect to spend a few weeks with Mrs. A. S. Craig and Mrs. Chas. Craig before leaving. They intend taking up farming.

E. R. Penlidon was in the city this week and disposed of an Oakland landau sedan to W. Bridgeman, an Oakland sedan to Sam Murray, a Star coupe to Sam Baxter, and a Star touring car to J. Kabesh.

Among those who attended the Northern Alberta Colonization association meeting at Edmonton last week were H. W. Manley, A. S. Rose, L. H. Newville and J. H. Hodson, of Wetaskiwin.

Joe N. Schreffels reports the sale of Chevrolet cars to the following during the past few days: Peter E. Burleigh, Tony Hladik, Mike Lawrence, Wm. O'Connell, Ed. Rudolph and H. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell and family are moving to Edmonton on Thursday of this week. Mr. Campbell intends to go to California in the near future, where the family will locate if he finds anything to his liking.

We notice from the proceedings of the house of commons that our representative, S. G. Tobin, is placed on the following select committees, Banking and Commerce, Agriculture and Colonization, Mines, Forests and Waters, Elections and Privileges.

A cordial invitation is extended to every lady and gentleman in the city and district to attend the tea and food sale to be held in Murray's ice cream parlor on Saturday, April 10, from 3 to 6. All those who have not already been solicited are asked to kindly bring a donation, as the committee are anxious to pay off the debt on the skating rink so that some improvements may be made. Any help given will be greatly appreciated.

TOWN TOPICS

The Ni-wikaw Club is arranging to put on a play some time after Easter.

The following officers have been elected for the year by the Golden Circle C.G.I.T.—president, Doris Baker; vice president, Iona Hanson; secretary, Kathleen Walker; treasurer, Dora Baxter.

The Old Timers' association of Edmonton is arranging for the holding of a parade at the time of the exhibition this summer. Among the members of the committee to look after the details are Frank Lucas and R. M. Angus of Wetaskiwin; John West of Millet, and R. T. Telford, of Leduc.

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, March 31, 1926

No. 1 Northern	1.36
No. 2 Northern	1.33
No. 3 Northern	1.17
No. 4 Northern	1.12
No. 5 Northern	1.08
No. 6 Northern	.75
Feed Wheat	.56
Oats	.30 - .33
Barley	.29 - .45
Rye	.47 - .55
Hogs	12.00
Steers	4.00 - 5.00
Cows	3.00 - 4.00
Sheep	6.00
Spring Lambs	10.00
Butter	30 - 35
Eggs (extra)	15
Eggs (first)	16
Eggs (seconds)	12

The Cherry Grove baseball club will hold a dance in the U.F.A. hall, Wetaskiwin, on Friday evening, April 9.

On Good Friday evening the German service at the St. Lutheran church is to begin at 7 o'clock sharp. At 8 o'clock the audience will receive the service from the Mt. Calvary Lutheran church at Calgary, over station C.F.A.C., the radio supplied by courtesy of Ross M. Sayder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burkholder have moved into the residence, near the Alexandra school, which they recently purchased. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDiarmid, who occupied the premises, have moved into the residence on Andrus street, just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder.

Miss Jean Edgar, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser, arrived from Scotland on Monday and is staying the week. She sails for Honolulu on Wednesday of next week, her wedding being fixed for the day the liner docks in that port. Miss Edgar is marrying Mr. J. Muirhead of that city, a Scottish accountant whose parents and brothers all reside in Honolulu.

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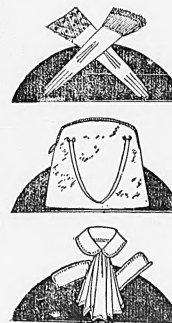
Silk Dresses

A lovely showing of Silk Dresses in Crepe de Chine, Flak Crepes and Crepe Romaines, in all the newest shades, from

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Dress Accessories for Easter

We have just received a shipment of new Pouch Bags, latest designs in Windsor Ties, Collar and Cuff sets, new Kayser Gauntlet Gloves, both in kid and chamoisette. Novelty handkerchiefs to match your new gown or to add a touch of color to that new suit or coat.



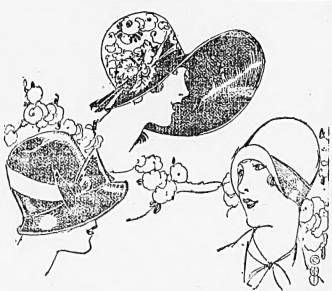
Groceries

We are offering for two or three days 45 crates of Delicious Apples at \$2.10, and 25 boxes of Fancy Delicious Apples, wrapped, at \$2.60. These will all be repacked and good and are exceptional value at these prices.

Seeds are in stock now and we are well supplied with both package and bulk seeds.

Malchin's Tea and Coffee

Get a cup and saucer free with a pound of this Tea or Coffee.



Our Millinery Department is stocked with the finest showing of Ready-to-wear, Pattern Hats and Hand Made models, at prices never before offered in Wetaskiwin, and your choice can be made from the largest stock we have ever carried.

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Easter should not pass without a new Hat or Suit. Our stock is complete in all furnishing lines and includes the newest in style and shades, and the prices are within the reach of all.

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Size 2 1/2 to 8, \$1.95
Misses, 11 to 12, \$1.60
Girls, 8 to 10 1/2, \$1.40
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FOR SALE—Or exchange, 2 year-old pure bred Ayrshire bull and yearling Ayrshire bull. Apply to Freeman & Chutter, R.1, Millat, Alberta. 2-31

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, pure bred White Wyandotte. \$1.50 a setting. C. B. Thomas, Wetaskiwin. Phone 169. 2-11a

FOR SALE—Vessel Feed Grinder, 10 1/2 inch, with bagger, complete, in 1st class condition. Price right for immediate sale. Apply Stein's Chopping Mill, Wetaskiwin. 2-11

HATCHING EGGS—From pure bred S.C. White Leghorns, winter layers, \$1.50 per setting; Toulouse Geese, 40c, and Pekin Duck eggs, 10c. W. J. Pickard, Huntingdon, Farm, Phone 2506. 51-71a

FOR SALE—Fertile Single comb 300 egg strain, White Leghorn cockerels, \$2.00, \$5.00; eggs, \$1.50, \$2.50 per 15; \$6.00, \$10.00 per 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. Thomas Gair, Wetaskiwin. 1-31

FOR SALE—Good Milch Cows; 2 A.I. Sows, and rose comb White Leghorn Cockerels. Apply L. G. Kelley, Wetaskiwin. 52-31a

FOR SALE—Half section land, 5 miles north of Wetaskiwin, 125 acres cultivated, fair buildings, soft water, hog and cattle pasture, 7 room house. Terms reasonable. D. E. Boyd, Wetaskiwin. 52-11a

FOR SALE OR TRADE—10 room house, fully modern, good outbuildings half acre ground, all kinds of fruit, very suitable for poultry ranch, one block to school, paved street, all assessments paid. Price \$6500, or will trade for half or quarter section "going concern". Write 1510 East Pioneer Ave., Puyallup, Wash. 52-31a

GARDEN PLANTS—Mrs. Johnson Said announces that she will have all kinds of garden plants for sale this spring at her old stand, Mr. Anderson, the new owner of property will also carry on stopping place for commuters and goers. 52-11a

FOR SALE—N.W. 9-47-24-11, six miles north of Wetaskiwin, 4 miles from Millat, half mile from school; also 5 room house and good garage in Wetaskiwin and one lot on Dufferin street; Chevrolet car, 1919 model in good condition; International tractor and 3 bottom plow; cheap for quick sale to close out estate of the late Carl Dugger. For particulars apply to C. J. Dugger, executor, Millat, Alberta. 52-31a

FOR SALE—Secondhand Ford car engine exceptionally good; cheap for cash. Apply Times Office. 51-11a

STALLION—Pure bred Clyde Stallion, "Jim Hill, 1924", first class certificate, sure footed gelding. For particulars apply George Brunner, R.R.3, Wetaskiwin. 51-51a

FOR SALE—Suitable six roomed house. Modern. Good cellar. Furnace. Garage. Two Lots. Opposite King Edward school. Reasonable offer accepted. Apply to E. D. H. Wilkins, over Bank of Montreal, Wetaskiwin. 38-11a

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY
ETC.

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on the N.E. 28-45-24-11, 8 miles southeast of Wetaskiwin, on TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1926 At 1 o'clock sharp, the following HORSES—Bay Gelding, 10 years, 1500; Bay Gelding 10 years, 1650; Bay Gelding, 9 years; 1600; Bay Gelding, 7 years; 1500; Sorrel Gelding, 9 yrs, 1350; Bay Mare, 11 years, 1250; Team Bays, mare and gelding, 7 years, 2700, Bay Mare 12 years, 1150.

CATTLE—3 head of No. 1 Milch Cows, some due to freshen early, balance later in spring.

MACHINERY—Wagon and double box; Great West 12 in. Gang Plow; Disc Harrow; 14 inch Brush Breaker; 3 sections Lever Harrows; Deering Mower; Hay Rake; Hay Stacker and Sower; 12 h.p. Engine; 8 inch Grind-er; Truck Wagon and Black; Democrat; Dugger; Surrey; Set Bobaleigh; 2 Single Cutters; Road Scraper; Tank and Heater; Set 1200 lb Platform Scales; 1 1/2 h.p. Imperial Gas Engine, Power Washing Machine; No. 3 Daley Churn; Hot Blast Heater; 4 Sets Work Harness; Several Collars, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH Sale Positive regardless of Weather as owing to Doctor's instructions, Mr. Person will sell without reserve. FREE LUNCH AT NOON Peter Person—Owner GEO. L. OWEN—AUCTIONEER

Lost

REWARD—For recovery of dog lost at H. McGrandie's sale, black collie with brown markings, bob tail answers to name "Buster." Richard Ballhorn, Phone R105, Wetaskiwin, Alberta. 2-31

Wanted

WANTED—Young girl for light housework. Apply to Phone 158, Wetaskiwin. 2-11a

WANTED—Partner, with little money, to finance hog feeding proposition. For information write to Box "S" Times Office. 2-31a

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of Charles Henry Strand late of Mulhurst, Alberta, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Charles Henry Strand, who died on the third day of February, 1926, are required to file with the undersigned solicitors by the thirtieth day of April, 1926, a full statement duly verified of the claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrators will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1926
LOOGIE & MANLEY,
Wetaskiwin, Alberta,
2-21a Solicitors for Administrator

AUCTION SALE

HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY & HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on the S.E. 35-45-25-4th, six miles west and 2 1/2 miles south of Wetaskiwin on

MONDAY, APRIL 5, 1926

At 12:30 sharp, the following HORSES—White Gelding, aged, 1100; White Gelding, aged, 1100; Roan Mare, aged, 1250; Black Mare, aged, 1400; Brown Gelding, 10 years, 1450; Team Grey Mare, 11 years, 2600; Sorrel Mare, 12 years, 1000; 2 Yearling Horse Cols.

CATTLE—13 head of No. 1 Milch Cows, some fresh and others fresh on before date of sale; 7 Yearling Heifers; 4 Yearling Steers; 2 two-year-old Heifers; 3 Range Cows; 2 year-old Hereford Bull; 6 Spving Calves.

HOGS—6 Brood Sows, due to farrow during April and May; Tanworth Boar.

POLTRY—100 head good laying hens; 5 Turkeys.

MACHINERY—New model Ford Car; 10 1/2 in. Vessot Grinder; 8 foot McCormick Binder; Deering Mower; McCormick Rake; Deering 18 run single disc Drill; Fanning Mill; Land Packer; 3 sections Lever Harrows; McCormick Disc; 3 Wagons; 2 Boxes, Hay Rack; 2 sets Bobaleigh; Cutter, 14 inch Oliver Gang Plow; Engine Brush Breaker; 2 Walking Plows; Hay Sower; Manure Spreader; Pump Engine and Jack; Wood Saw; Massey Harris Crown Separator; Blacksmith Forge; Grindstone; Tank Heater; 2 Portable Granaries; Feed Cooker; McCormick Deering Crown Separator; 4 sets double Harrows; Robt Bags, Blankets; Potale Catalyst; Block and Tackle, rope; Fence Posts; Pine Split Wood; Stock Saddle, Number of Hog Troughs; Oil Pump; 2 Oil Barrels; lot of small tools, shovels, forks, etc, too numerous to mention.

THRASHING OUTFIT—15-30 McCormick Deering Tractor; 25-45 McCormick Deering Separator; in A.I. condition, complete with all belts.

FURNITURE—Roll top Desk; Day-ent; Sewing Machine; Heater; Range; 4 Rocking Chairs; Carpet; 2 Tables; Gramophone, cabinet and records; 12 chairs; Cupboard; China Cabinet; Dresser; 4 Washstands; 3 Beds, springs and Mattresses; Drop side Couch and mattress; Washing Machine and Wringer; 3 tubs and boiler; Cream Cans; Milk Pails; Cooking Utensils; Dishes; Remington typewriter, etc.

TERMS—CASH Except on Thrashing Outfit, terms on which will be announced day of sale. Ed. Schwan—Owner

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THE POWER OF MIND

(By W. M. Shafter)

While speaking of the term suggestion, as defined by Webster, is a presentation, a hint, and by Dr. Hudson, as used in mental science, the insinuation of a belief or an impulse into the mind of a subject by any means.

We hear much said about suggestion being a factor in the cure of diseases. That diseases are being cured, or may be cured, by suggestion, yet we are not to understand that suggestion really performs any cures. It is simply an agent used to bring into action certain powers in the right direction, which do perform cures.

While speaking of suggestion as a curative agent, we hear very little said of it as an agent in the cause of disease. Nevertheless, suggestion is an agent in the cause of disease, and is a subject of as much importance to the individual, if not to the world, as that of suggestion as a curative agent.

Suggestion becomes a means for the cause or cure of disease simply in obedience to certain natural laws which have been found to exist, which if ignored innocently or wilfully, will bring to humanity such abnormal conditions as disease, unhappiness, failures, and all the ills of the race.

The greatest mistake that can be excused or forgiven on account of ignorance—ignorance is not an excuse, it is a sin or a crime, so I will make note of a few suggestions which were made in the early days.

There was a suggestion given by Abraham from the Lord that if he would leave his own country and kindred, and go as directed, he would make him the father of a great nation. He followed the suggestion and all Christian nations today honor his name. There came a suggestion to Lot, to go into Sodom. He followed it and scripture tells of the result.

There was a suggestion which he followed, as a murderer. When received a suggestion which, when acted upon, robbed him of his blarney. Jesus received a suggestion to go into the wilderness and prepare himself for the work which was before him.

While there the devil offered Him a suggestion, and His refusal made Him more worthy to be called the Saviour. He stood for a lesson for all humanity ever since. That He understood the law of suggestion is shown in His words "According to the faith be it unto thee." (the word faith here means thought). It has been said that the subjective mind was constantly amenable to control by suggestion.

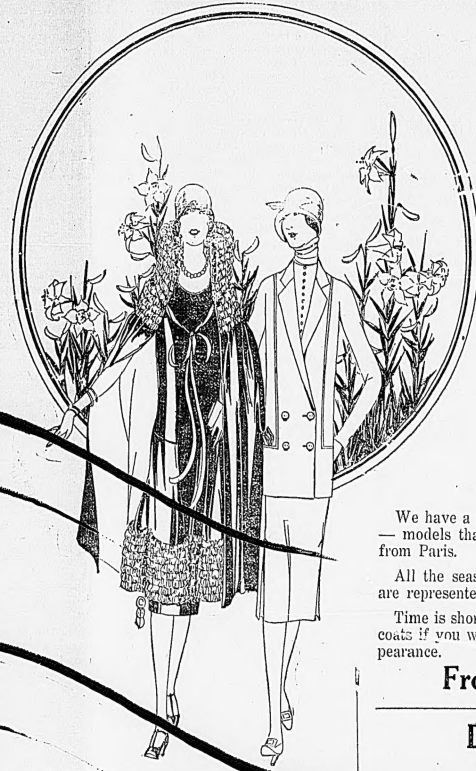
This being the natural law it becomes necessary that we should understand that law, for it is the subjective mind that furnishes the power to perform every act of man. While in the physical existence it is the subjective mind that lives on through the non-material identity, and the character of that life is determined by the suggestion received and acted upon while it dwells in the body. So we see that the law of suggestion is not limited to the cure of disease alone, but every act of our lives.

Every success and every failure in all the different branches of life are the results of some form of suggestion, and are received and acted upon. It is a law that affects all the interest of mankind, a law that no man can escape—the form of suggestion discussed in this subject will be more particularly that of oral suggestion, which means words spoken to a subject, either in the natural or hypnotic state.

There were schools which taught that to make suggestion effective, the subject must first be hypnotized, but such is not the case, and suggestion may be successfully used at any time. Although there may be, and doubtless there are, times when it could be more successfully used, or we may say when it should be used in connection with hypnotism, the use of oral suggestion is made effective when offered to the subject in a natural state, perhaps more through the subject's own autosuggestion, for such it becomes, than by the suggestion given by the suggestionist. If the subject is in need of help and applies for it through the means of suggestion, he is already prepared to receive it, and any suggestion offered at such times will be accepted and made his own autosuggestion. In such cases there can be no more potent means used in healing the sick, and as it is useless for me to seek for words, space or time to define the different uses for suggestion, I think it sufficient to say that of all the things that are in existence today, that are left to find anything which does exist through any other course than that of suggestion, and if we use a strong and reasonable suggestion in the right way, it will save the human family from a lot of suffering and misery, for there is nothing that will drive away the clouds which have overshadowed the sunlit shores, and again bring about peace, hope and happiness, like a good cheerful suggestion along such lines.

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HILLSIDE

Mr. E. Tiffany of Meelung Creek, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. March.

A carload of fat stock was shipped by members of the pool last week to Edmonton.

The concert and shadow social held by the U.P.A. on Friday passed off very nicely. A moderate crowd was in attendance. Twenty-five dollars were realized on the sale of shadows.

The president, at the conclusion, thanked all present for their support. Wallace Marr returned on Saturday from the Olds agricultural school with a nice large diploma tucked away in his grip. Congratulations, Mr. Marr.

The Junior U.P.A. intend holding a concert and hat social in the near future, the date to be announced later.

TRUE TO ITS SOURCE
Let me endeavor to give a parable of what Christianity really is capable of doing in its contacts with other faiths. I stand before a big oak tree and I have a little conversation with it. I am not much given to holding conversations with trees, but I am doing it for this occasion. I say to this broad tree, "You are really magnificent. Did you come from an acorn?" It says, "Yes, partly." "Why partly?" "Oh, because part of me came from the sun, up there 95,000,000 miles away, part of me came from the clouds, but part of me came from the soil." "What do you grow down there?" I ask. "Oh, rotten leaves and dead wood and all sorts of other dirty things," and I say "Then you have brought into your body something that will defile it." "No," says the tree, "I have not betrayed the acorn." I have glorified it and expanded it and I have shown you what is its essential character, what is its inner life. You can take me from the topmost bough right down to the roots and you will not find in me anything that is not genuine oak, that is not due to the very genius of that acorn."—Rev. J. Endicott in New Outlook.

"You raised your hat to that girl who passed. You don't know her, do you?" "No, but my brother does, and this is his hat."

AUCTION SALE

AT MILLET
SATURDAY, APRIL 3rd, 1926
At 2 o'clock prompt:

Large quantity of Building Material, Doors, Windows, Sashes, Lumber, Manure Cartier, and Building, 14 x 7 1/2 to be removed. 2 Cream Separators; 2 Table; Chairs; Stove; Heaters; 2 Lumber Wagons; Set of Plov Harness; Collars; Drag Trap; Churn; Buggy Harness; Buggy.

5 Head of Cattle
HORSES—Brown Mare, 4 years, 1550; Sorrel Mare, 7 years, 1400; Sorrel Mare, Harness and Buggy. Three Geldings.
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PRETTY WEDDING IN WEISENTHAL CHURCH

The Weisenthal church was beautifully decorated for the marriage of Miss Emma Metke, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Metke, to Mr. Ben Berchert, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Berchert, which was celebrated there in the presence of over two hundred guests, on Wednesday, March 24. The clergyman officiating was Rev. M. Miller.

The bride was very dainty in her lovely gown of white tulle and satin and wearing a very beautiful wedding veil. She was attended by two bridesmaids, her sister, Miss Bertha Metke, and Miss Helen Berchert, sister of the groom, both wearing pretty dresses of pink silk. The groom was attended by Mr. C. Metke, the bride's brother, and Mr. R. Ollenburg.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom. The many beautiful gifts received showed the popularity of this young couple, who will reside for some time with the parents of the groom.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR MR. AND MRS. NORDTORP

On Wednesday evening, March 24, about seventy friends and neighbors assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nordtorp for a surprise party. The evening was spent at cards and dancing, and at the supper hour a silver tea service was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Nordtorp. Mr. P. Jordan made the presentation, and Mr. Nordtorp replied graciously. Following supper Mr. and Mrs. Nordtorp treated their friends by giving the Norwegian spring dance.

Mr. Nordtorp sold his farm recently and the family will reside in the Perth bungalow for the present. They will be greatly missed by their neighbors, among whom they have lived for the past eight years.

FOLLOW THE GLEAM

To the heights in the days of old, Keeping watch on the mountain height, Came a vision of Holy Graft, And a voice through the waiting night, "Follow, Follow, Follow the gleam, Banners unfurled o'er all the world, Follow, Follow, Follow the gleam Of the chalice that is the Graft!"

And we who would serve the King, And loyally Him obey— In the consecrated silence know That the challenge still holds today, Follow, Follow, Follow the gleam, Standards of worth o'er all the earth, Follow, Follow, Follow the gleam, Of the light that shall bring the dawn.

Teacher—Name three articles containing starch. Student—Two cuffs and a collar.

Fred—Dad, can you sign your name with your eyes shut? Dad—Certainly. Fred—Well, then, shut your eyes and sign my report card.

AUCTION SALE

HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY & HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions from L. P. Wright Esq., who is giving up farming, to sell by Public Auction on the S.E. 36-47-25 4th, 2 miles west of Millet, on the Blind Line, on

MONDAY, APRIL 12, 1926
At 11 o'clock, prompt:

HORSES—Black Gelding, 10 years, 1300; Black Gelding, 9 years, 1200; Bay Gelding, aged, 1100; White Mare with Foal, 12 years, 1250

8 GRADE HOLSTEIN COWS—Red and White Cow, 3 years, fresh; Black and White Cow, 6 years, fresh in May; Black and White Cow, 3 years, fresh; Black and White Cow, 4 years, fresh; Black and White Cow, 6 years, fresh in May; Black Cow, 8 years, fresh; Black and White Cow, 7 years, fresh; 2 Yearling Steers, Yearling Heifer; Black Heifer calf; 2 Sister Calves; Grade Holstein Bull, coming 2 years.

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MILLET LOCAL NEWS

H. Dowler has returned after spending a couple of weeks in Calgary.

Miss Fairy Root was at home over the week end.

J. Carney is at home again from the Wetaskiwin hospital.

Mr. H. Phillips has recently purchased an Oldsmobile coach.

The Ladies' Aid of the United church will meet on Thursday at the minister's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kent quietly celebrated their wedding anniversary on Wednesday evening of last week.

Miss Mudge Plant is at home from her visit with Miss Morrow at Kavanagh.

A. P. Mitchell attended a large sale at Calmar, on Monday, assisting Mr. Carrol of Leduc.

Mrs. J. B. Day, who with her little son, spent the winter in England, returned home last week.

George Helmer returned home on Wednesday after two weeks' illness in the Wetaskiwin hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christie spent Sunday in Leduc, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Campbell.

The death occurred in Erie, Illinois, of G. W. Bosse, brother-in-law of G. A. Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McElbion arrived in Millet on Saturday and will be in residence for some time.

Mrs. Charlton, of Cochrane, Ont., with her two children, are guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keats.

Dr. T. B. Stevenson, Mrs. Stevenson and their daughter, Margaret, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John West on Sunday.

Mr. Robert Jeffers of Salmon Arm, B.C., brother of Mrs. H. Moffett, is a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Moffett for several weeks.

The evening service in the United church on Easter Sunday will be in keeping with the character of the day. Communion service will be observed.

Mrs. Nelson and little son Gordon are again the guests of Mrs. Nelson's sister, Mrs. J. West, en route from Camrose to their home at St. Paul de Metis.

Miss T. M. Siegel passed through on Saturday evening to Edmonton, where she will read in several of the city churches and in the vicinity during the week.

About thirty guests were present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hoping on Friday evening where they spent a pleasant time over cards and dancing, followed by refreshments.

Mrs. Tom Hughes, of Vancouver, a former resident of Millet, is visiting old time friends in the district, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Dowler and Mr. T. A. Wagner.

The sale at Mr. Nordtorp's last week was well attended and in spite of the snowstorm bidding kept up and good prices were realized. Auctioneer Mitchell conducted the sale.

Mr. John Nordtorp left on Tuesday for Coleman, Alberta, where he has accepted a position with a company installing mining machinery. John will be missed generally from our community and especially by the baseball team.

On Friday evening members of the Carry On club to the number of twenty travelled by motor to Edmonton to hear Sir John Martin Harvey in "The Burgomaster of Stillemonde." No serious bad spots were encountered on the road and all enjoyed the interpretation of "The Burgomaster" as presented by this celebrated English actor, Lady Martin Harvey and others of the company of artists.

The anniversary services of the Millet United church planned for Sunday and Monday of this week, and which were postponed, will be held on Sunday and Monday, April 11 and 12. The Rev. Thomas Powell, of Calgary, will preach on Sunday, and on Monday will deliver his popular lecture "Success," following a banquet which is being prepared by the Ladies' Aid, to be held in the community hall.

BORN
PETTIGREW—In the Wetaskiwin hospital, on Tuesday, March 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pettigrew, a son.

***If it is small fruits, shrubbery, strawberry plants or perennial flowers you want, you can get them from P. C. Petersen & Sons, Wetaskiwin, or Phone R406, Wetaskiwin. 25th.

BRIDE-TO-BE GIVEN BEAUTIFUL SHOWER

Mrs. A. H. Parker and Mrs. C. A. Kent were joint hostesses at a delightful shower given by them at the home of the former, when a bride elect, Miss Marjorie West, was showered with gifts, beautiful, ornamental, and useful.

About twenty-five guests were present including Mrs. J. West, Mrs. Moon, Mrs. W. McAllister, Mrs. G. A. Kent, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. P. Fraser, Mrs. W. Karr, Mrs. W. Ross, Mrs. E. Furlong and many others.

Mrs. Parker passed a blank book among the guests with the request that each write a recipe.

At the time appointed, little Miss Ethel Parker, assisted by Master Tommy drew into the room a huge basket trimmed with wide bands of pink and white crepe paper, and branches tipped with pink buds. This was piled high with packages of all sizes which were opened by Miss West.

Mrs. G. Moon presided at the player piano giving several fine records. Mrs. E. Furlong rendered several piano solos which were greatly enjoyed.

The rooms were decorated in pink and white with tinsel, capids and daffodils. Assisting Mrs. Parker in serving delicious refreshments were Mrs. Kent and Mrs. McAllister.

JEWEL PRESENTED TO ODDFELLOW

At the regular Oddfellows' meeting on Wednesday, March 24th, the Millet Lodge, I.O.O.F., presented Mr. F. Phynon with the past grand's Jewel the presentation being made by Frank H. Blackwell, noble grand of the Wetaskiwin Lodge. This occasion marked for Mr. Phynon forty years of Oddfellowship. Though completely taken by surprise, Mr. Phynon made a fitting reply, thanking the brothers for the honor. A very happy evening followed, with refreshments and conversation.

ALBERTA TO ASSIST WITH IMMIGRATION

Edmonton, March 27.—Participation by the Alberta government in a scheme of selected immigration from Great Britain was asked for by W. L. F. federal commissioner for immigration, in an interview with Premier Brownlee and members of his cabinet yesterday. The plan proposed is that suitable settlers will be brought out on assisted passages directly under the auspices of the Dominion government, such immigration to be limited to the numbers asked for by the provincial government. The latter will also assume responsibility for locating the newcomers on the land.

A draft agreement to this effect was submitted by Mr. Little, and will shortly be considered by the executive council. Similar agreements have already been made with some of the other provinces, and the immigration department of the Anglican church is also a party to it.

Bengal is as large as Paraguay or South Dakota.

WANTED—20 bushels of Preston Wheat, Phone R103, Millet, or write to P.O. Box 36, Millet. 2-1n

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders are asked for the dragging of the Blind Line road from Porter Wright's corner west for 5 1/2 miles. Dragging to be done when considered necessary by the undersigned. Tenderer must have telephone or make arrangements for such with another party. The first \$1000 bid will be retained until the end of season and will be forfeited if contract is broken by contractor.

Tenders to be in by April 5th.
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Bread, 3 loaves for 25c
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MOTHERS' ALLOWANCE

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Edmonton, March 25.—A total of 325 mothers in Alberta received allowances in 1925 under the Mothers' Allowance act, with a total expenditure of \$283,595.50, of which \$142,469.63 was refunded by the municipalities, according to the annual report of the superintendent for neglected children.

The payments in 1924 totalled \$267,411.60, of which \$107,444.12 was refunded by the municipalities. A total of 324 mothers received the allowances.

The payments exhibit a big increase since their inception in 1919, when 255 mothers received them and the total expenditure was \$29,470.04, of which \$7,094.98 was refunded by the municipalities.

During 1925 a total of 128 allowances were discontinued, principally on account of improved conditions of persons having the province.

ANGUS THEATRE

Friday, 8 p.m.

Saturday, 7:30 - 9:15 p.m.

Johnny Hines in

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Wednesday, Thursday

April 7 - 8

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Rin-Tin-Tin's latest picture, full of action and showing how they live in the south.

Galloping Hoofs and Comedy

Neighborhood NEWS

NASHVILLE

Mr. Harris is remodeling his house and building an addition to it. Charlie Sundahl is doing the carpenter work.

Miss Anna Schnee is leaving Nashville for a time.

Vivian and Vearie Peterson of the Millet district, are visiting Grandma Peterson at present, while C. A. Peterson is out on Vancouver Island looking for a place to rest for a time.

Albert Callais has a brand new banjo, so now there will be some good music when the boys of Nashville get started to play.

Albert Schnee has been busy the past week, decorating cattle around the district. It is a good time to do such work before flytime starts, and also spring work.

Now is a good time to look after the much needed machinery, and to get it ready for the spring work, before the busy time sets in.

Mrs. W. Gould took her little girl, Vivian, into the Wetaskiwin hospital the other day to have her tonsils removed. Mrs. Gould and daughter returned home last Sunday.

Prod A. Peterson of Nashville was summoned on the jury to appear in Wetaskiwin this week, but on account of sickness in his family, Mr. Peterson tried to get out of the job.

The people of Nashville are taking advantage of the recent snowfall to haul in their hay.

CAMROSE

(From The Canadian)

On Sunday last, March 21, at her residence in Camrose, another of this district's pioneer citizens passed away in the person of Mrs. Maude Alice Tate, wife of George Tate, farmer of the Duhamel district. The late Mrs. Tate was one of the earliest settlers in the district south of Camrose, coming while still a young girl with her parents from Ontario to this section of western Canada in 1893 or thirty-three years ago. Her birthplace was at Aetion, Ontario, and she was forty-eight years of age. Her marriage to Mr. Tate took place at Wetaskiwin about eighteen years ago.

Deceased born a long and severe illness with cheerfulness and fortitude, and during the past two weeks suffered very intensely.

She was an active worker in the U. F. W. A. of Duhamel, and was also closely associated with the Willing Workers organization there.

Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss three daughters, Alice, Mary and Isabelle, and one son, Ralph, four brothers, Robert, of Camrose, G.T., and W. E. Campbell, of Hestler, and R. V. Campbell, of Ankerton.

CARD OF THANKS

John Asp and family desire through The Times to sincerely thank the neighbors and many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and for the assistance rendered during their recent bereavement. They are especially grateful to the following for floral tributes: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Peterson, Vivian and Roy Peterson; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson; Mr. and Mrs. Harding Asp; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Asp; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Olson and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sparks; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fee; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson; Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Torson and Mr. and Mrs. A. Manes; U.F.A. Store and staff; the Swedish Lutheran Ladies' Aid; the Scandinavian Ladies' Hospital Aid, and Messrs. E. R. Rasmussen, O. H. Bonnie, D. J. Heltner, I. O. Johnson, A. W. Anderson, Herman Callais, W. R. Mattson, P. T. Kirstein, John Wick, Aboussafy & Sons, and E. E. Ness and family.

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DECADENT

Long ago we played and sported, happy children on the green; and the graybeards scowled and snorted as they viewed the pleasant scene; it was said to see us fooling when we should be keen for schooling; so we always heard them drooling, saying caustic things and mean. "In our youth," they sternly told us, "we cowered all day play for our books and to behold us, full of wisdom now we're gray; children now sidestep the teachers, and abhor the helpful preachers, of the dance hall, rink or bleachers, they are thinking all the day." And we thought, while we were playing, that the graybeards gave us pain; they were always grousing, saying that our dings were in vain; they could think up nothing pleasant of the future or the present, they would give no phony beam for the things we thought were sane. And we hated them for knowing, all the younger people did, hated them for endless talking, each one talking through his lid; all they saw was sure to grind them, all that happened would remind them of the gorgeous days behind them, when their conduct didn't sink. We in turn are old and hoary and we haunt the village green, talking of that time of glory when our age was amply teen; and we mark the youngsters playing, and we are agree in saying that their wayward feet are straying to the moral coup tenn. And we chide them for their delings, in the old accustomed style; with gadzooks and hoochies we reproach them for their gams; in the days when we were younger we were filled with eager hunger for the high-brow knowledge-monger who dished logic by the mile.—Wall Mason.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

Times for trains at Wetaskiwin are as follows:

Northbound	Southbound
51 5:28 a.m. Daily	52 12:10 p.m. Daily
52 6:44 a.m. Daily	53 1:22 a.m. Daily
53 8:40 p.m. Daily	52 8:28 a.m. Daily
523 1:50 p.m. Daily	524 1:28 p.m. Daily
Ex. Sun.	Ex. Sun.
527 11:50 a.m. Daily	528 7:45 p.m. Daily
Ex. Sun.	Ex. Sun.
Westbound	Eastbound
51 Ar. 5:20am Daily	52 Lv. 12:10am Daily
52 Ar. 11:15am Daily	53 Lv. 7:50pm Daily
Ex. Sun.	Ex. Sun.

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The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell on the premises, Pierce Street West, Wetaskiwin, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 1926

At 2 p.m., the following:

One Dining Room Suite, consisting of Buffet, China Cabinet, Table and 6 chairs; 3 Oak Rockers; Straight Chair; Wilton rug, 9 x 12; Half runner 3 x 9; Breakfast room table and chairs; Combination Bookcase and Writing Desk; Congoleum rug, 9 x 12; Veranda Rug, Table and Chairs; Plant Stands; 3 Dressers; Chiffonier; Single Brass Bed; White Bureau 4 1/2 foot bed with springs and mattress; Simmons' 4 foot bed with springs and mattress; Wardrobe; Bedroom carpets and rug, etc.; Kitchen range; one burner Oilstove; Vacuum Sweeper; Bicycle; Wheelbarrow; Hedge Clippers; and many other useful articles.

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SHELLED WALNUTS, Manichans, per pound .50

TOILET PAPER, round 7 packages for .25

JAPAN RICE, No. 1 5 pounds for .55

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Church and Sunday School

SCANDINAVIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

P. M. Meyer, Minister

Sunday, April 4—

Wetaskiwin, Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Easter service, 8 p.m.

Offerdale school, Sunday school, 11 a.m.

Easter service, 3 p.m.

Easter program by Young People in Crooked Lake school, Easter Monday at 8 p.m.

Tuesday and Friday, prayer meeting 8 p.m.

Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting at Nashville.

Thursday, 8 p.m., Easter program will be rendered in Wetaskiwin by the Young People of the German Baptist church.

IMMANUEL CHURCH

(Anglican)

Easter Sunday, April 4—

11 a.m.—Communion service.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Evening service.

The Bishop of Edmonton will conduct the services.

Good Friday—Service at 11 a.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Morning Worship—11 a.m.

Easter Sunday, April 4—

Anthem: "Christ Arose." Solo by Mr. Stewart Campbell, "Holy City."

Sunday school—12:15.

Evening Worship—7:30.

Anthem: "Redemption." Solo by Mrs. Boyer "Open the Gates of the Temple."

Rev. P. C. McFarne, Minister.

SALVATION ARMY

Sunday, April 4—

11 a.m.—Holiness meeting.

3 p.m.—Company meeting.

7:30 p.m.—Salvation meeting, subject "Resurrections."

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

Good Friday—Special meeting for all children at 4:15 p.m.

8 p.m.—Special meeting, "Calvary."

A. Parkinson, Capt.

J. Bradley, Lieut.

WETASKIWIN UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D., Minister

Easter Sunday—

11 a.m.—"Mightier than Death."

Easter Anthem: "They have taken away my Life"—Stainer.

7:30 p.m.—"The Great Day of our Lord."

The choir will render the cantata "Resurrection Light"—E. L. Ashford.

2:30 p.m.—The Sunday school will hold an open session in Wesley Hall at 2:30 p.m., when an Easter program will be rendered.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

Good Friday—

11:00—German at Peace Hill.

2:30—German at Brightview.

7:00—German at Zion, Wetaskiwin.

8:00—English over radio in church.

Easter Sunday—

11:00—German, Brightview.

2:30—German, Wetaskiwin, with Holy Communion.

7:30 German, at Peace Hill.

Easter Monday—

11:00 a.m.—Peace Hill.

2:30 p.m.—Brightview.

C. Thies, Pastor.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

Sunday, April 4—

Combined service at Wang, 3 p.m.

English service at Bethel, 8 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

Services in Hall on Pearce Street

Sunday, April 4—

11 a.m.—Devotional.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

8 p.m.—Evangelistic.

Wednesday, 5 p.m., Bible Study: subject "Divine Healing."

Y. P. Swanton, Pastor.

***On Saturday, April 3rd, a tea and food sale will be held in Murray's Ice Cream Parlor in aid of the skating rink.

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***Don't forget the dance on April 16th under the auspices of the I.O. D.E. in aid of the swimming pool.

Monday and Tuesday at the Angus theatre you will see Corinne Griffith in the biggest heart drama she has ever acted.

***Remember the tennis dance to be given in the Elks' Hall on Monday evening. A \$20.00 prize will be given to the party with the lucky number.

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FORD TOURING	\$100.00
FORD TOURING	\$145.00
FORD TOURING	\$175.00
CHEVROLET TOURING	\$175.00
CHEVROLET TOURING	\$175.00
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APPRECIATION

The ladies of the W.C.T.U. wish to thank everyone who in any way contributed towards the success of their bazaar and supper on Saturday last. The kindly feeling evinced by the citizens was much appreciated. The net proceeds are about \$100.

BANNER Groceteria

With Service Phone 4

SPECIALS FOR Saturday, Monday and Tuesday

CRISCO, 1 pound tins, each29
CRISCO, 3 pound tins80
CRISCO, 6 pound tins	1.50
TOMATOES, "O.P."40
QUAKER OATS, Quik Chino packages, each39
MACARONI, Dominion 8 oz. packages, 3 for22
MACARONI, 10 pound packages, each95
SMILES, breakfast food 10 pound sacks, each57
WAX BEANS, Per tin19
H.P. SAUCE, Per bottle28

EASTER SPECIALS

Easter Lilies—Get our prices Baby Rambler Roses, Cinerarias Boston and Asparagus Ferns Spiraes

VEGETABLES

Ripe Tomatoes Cauliflower Lettuce, Celery, Turnips Carrots, etc.

EASTER OFFERINGS

Candy Special

Fresh, Delicious, hand rolled

CHOCOLATES

Maple Walnut Centres

59c lb.

The maple used in these candies is pure Quebec Maple syrup.

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To achieve that finished dressed up feeling with the new Spring outfit, just a whiff of the New Easter Perfumes is essential.

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